

## Welcome Home

Thank you for your service. As your Representative in Congress, I am committed to serving

Our nation owes a tremendous debt to the sacrifices of generations of brave men and women who wore

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## Your Benefits:

Veterans who served on active duty are eligible for a wide variety of benefits, particularly if they were in

These benefits can be for disability, pension, life insurance, [New York State](#) and many other benefits to veterans

## Your Healthcare:

Everyone who has served in the military and the honorably should be eligible for the best healthcare this nation can offer. [The VA Health System](#)

## Your Education:

A great education is one of most important promises we make to the young men and women who take up

In 2009, the new [Post 9/11 GI Bill](#) went into effect to offer [Montgomery GI Bill](#) is still in effect. [New York State](#)

## Your Job:

Serving in the Military should be a point of pride and a source of honor. It is important that you know your rights and the regulations that govern your service.

Veterans have a number of hiring preferences available to them. Federal and State governments have

### **Veterans Service Organizations:**

There are many Veterans Service Organizations (VSO) dedicated to advocacy on behalf of veterans. The

Counselors from NYS Department of Veterans Affairs are available at Castle Point and Montrose VA hospital.

Getting counseling from a veteran service officer is critical. They can help walk you through the complex

Veterans who are just leaving the service should talk to a service officer at their earliest convenience, and

### **Family Members and Caregivers:**

The return of loved one from overseas deployment can be often be nearly as jarring for the family of a soldier

On the frontlines overseas or the frontlines at home, there are many organizations that can give an entire

### **Memorials and Cemeteries:**

Memorials provide a place for veterans and others to gather and give thanks to those who have sacrificed

Cemeteries provide a final resting place for veterans to lie peacefully and with dignity. They also provide



*Congressman Hall listens to participants at a veterans roundtable in Poughkeepsie on June 3, 2010*

Are you an [wounded warrior](#) [Operation Iraqi or Enduring Freedom](#) veteran? Are you a

### Links

[Department of Veterans Affairs](#)

[NYVA](#)

[DOD Wounded Warrior Resource Center](#)

[Local Veterans Service Organizations](#)

[National Veterans Service Organizations](#)

[Hudson Valley VA Facilities](#)

[VA Suicide Hotline -](#) 1-800-273-TALK (8255)

[VA Homeless Vet Hotline](#) - 1-877-4AID VET (1-877-424-3838)

[New York Substance Abuse Hotline](#) 1-877-846-7369

**Emergency Contact - 911**

“A veteran is someone who, at one point in his or her life wrote a blank check made payable to "The Un



*Congressman Hall meets with members of Disabled American Veterans in 2007*

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